DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

[TA-W-33,643]

Wyeth-Ayerst Laboratories, Inc., Mason, Michigan; Notice of Termination of Investigation

Pursuant to Section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974, an investigation was initiated on July 7, 1997 in response to a worker petition which was filed on behalf of workers at Wyeth-Ayerst Laboratories, Inc., Mason, Michigan.

A negative determination applicable to the petitioning group of workers was issued on August 26, 1996 (TA–W–32,484). No new information is evident which would result in a reversal of the Department's previous determination. Consequently further investigation in this case would serve no purpose; and the investigation has been terminated.

Signed at Washington, DC this 7th day of July, 1997.

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Acting Program Manager, Policy and Reemployment Services, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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[NAFTA-01631, NAFTA-01631A]

Cone Mills Corp., Haynes Plant, Henrietta, North Carolina and Cone Mills Corp., Florence Plant, Forest City, North Carolina; Amended Certification Regarding Eligibility To Apply for NAFTA Transitional Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 250(a), Subchapter 2, Title II, of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended (19 U.S.C. 2273), the Department of Labor issued a Certification for NAFTA Transitional Adjustment Assistance on June 17, 1997, applicable to all workers of Cone Mills Corporation, Haynes Florence Plant, Henrietta, North Carolina. The notice will soon be published in the **Federal Register**.

At the request of the State Agency, the Department reviewed the certification for workers of the subject firm. New findings show that the Department incorrectly identified the subject firm plants and locations. The investigation conducted for the subject firm was conducted on behalf of the workers and the Haynes Florence Plant located in

Henrietta, North Carolina. Workers of the Florence Plant, Forest City, North Carolina facility were inadvertently omitted from the certification. Accordingly, the Department is amending the certification to correctly identify the plants and cites to read Haynes Plant, Henrietta, North Carolina and Florence Plant, Forest City, North Carolina.

The intent of the Department's certification is to include all workers of Cone Mills Corporation adversely affected by imports from Mexico.

The amended notice applicable to NAFTA-01631 is hereby issued as follows:

All workers of Cone Mills Corporation, Haynes Plant, Henrietta, North Carolina (NAFTA–01631) and Florence Plant, Forest City, North Carolina (NAFTA–01631A) who became totally or partially separated from employment on or after April 8, 1996 are eligible to apply for NAFTA–TAA under Section 250 of the Trade Act of 1974.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 27th day of June 1997.

Russell T. Kile,

Program Manager, Policy and Reemployment Services, Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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Notice of Determination Regarding Eligibility to Apply for Worker Adjustment Assistance and NAFTA Transitional Adjustment Assistance

In accordance with Section 223 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, the Department of Labor herein presents summaries of determinations regarding eligibility to apply for trade adjustment assistance for workers (TA–W) issued during the period of June and July, 1997.

In order for an affirmative determination to be made and a certification of eligibility to apply for worker adjustment assistance to be issued, each of the group eligibility requirements of Section 222 of the Act must be met.

- (1) That a significant number or proportion of the workers in the workers' firm, or in appropriate subdivision thereof, have become totally or partially separated,
- (2) That sales or production, or both, of the firm or subdivision have decreased absolutely, and
- (3) That increases of imports of articles like or directly competitive with

articles produced by the firm or appropriate subdivision have contributed importantly to the separations, or threat thereof, and to the absolute decline in sales or production.

Negative Determinations for Worker Adjustment Assistance

In each of the following cases the investigation revealed that criterion (3) has not been met. A survey of customers indicated that increased imports did not contribute importantly to worker separation at the firm.

TA-W-33,421; Exide Corp., Frankfort, IN

TA-W-33,570; Butterick Co., Altoona, PA

TA-W-33,497; Big River Luggage Co., Inc., Corpus Christi, TX

TA-W-33,516; Brown & Bigelow, Inc., Hoyle Products, East Saint Paul, MN

TA-E-33,423; Mid-Coast Marine, Coos Bay, OR

TA-W-33,515; ICI Explosives, Aerospace and Automotive Products, Tamaqua, PA

TA-W-33,535; General Pneumatics Corp, Orange, NJ

TA-W-33,117; Halliburton Energy Service, Logging & Perforating Product Service Line, Homer, PA

In the following cases, the investigation revealed that the criteria for eligibility have not been met for the reasons specified.

TA-W-33,563; Corona USA Corp., Fort Lee, NJ

TA-W-33,180; N.L.C., Inc., Trout Creek, MT

The workers firm does not produce an article as required for certification under Section 222 of the Trade Act of 1974.

TA-W-33,456; DMC Apparel, Knoxville, TN

TA-W-33,444; The Genlyte Group, Inc., E-Lite Div., Cameron, WV

Separations at the subject firm were due to a corporate decision to consolidate operations and move production to another domestic facility. TA-W-33,416; Shape, Inc., Kennebunk, ME

TA-W-33,289; CDR Ridgway, Ridgway, PA

The investigation revealed that criteria (2) has not been met. Sales or production did not decline during the relevant period as required for certification.

TA-W-33,422; Rema Bakeware, Salena, KA

TA-W-33,384; LFI North America, A/K/ A Language for Industry, Inc., Beachwood, OH

TA-W-33,585; Utica Corp. Whitesboro, NY